



# Tiger Tales

Newsletter for the Families of  
Oakdale Elementary

February 8, 2008

Health Hotline: 651-702-8502  
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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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| Fri. Feb 8    | Butter braid Fundraiser<br>Kick off               |
| Mon. Feb 11   | Jump Rope for Heart<br>3:00 – 5:00 p.m. Gr. 2 & 3 |
| Tues. Feb 12  | Jump Rope for Heart<br>3:00 – 5:00 p.m. Gr. 4 & 5 |
| Tues. Feb. 12 | Kindergarten Registration<br>Night 6 PM           |
| Tues. Feb 19  | PTO – 6:00 p.m.                                   |
| Tues. Feb. 19 | Band Concert 6:30 PM                              |

### Looking Ahead:

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| Thurs. Feb 28 | SAIL Research Fair 6:00 –<br>8:00 p.m. @ Eagle Pt. El. |
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Once we have a chairperson(s) in place, we can then move on to the many other volunteer roles involved with the carnival.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of this important fun-raiser!

### Dr. David Walsh, Leading Authority on parenting presents:

“No: Why Kids – of all ages – Need to Hear It and Ways Parents Can Say It.”

Monday, February 11, 2008 at Fairview Lakes Medical Center, 5200 Fairview Blvd., Wyoming

SPEAKER: 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.  
Parent Resource Fair: 5:00 p.m.

**This free program requires advance registration. Call 612-672-7272**

### ATTENTION OAKDALE ELEMENTARY FAMILIES

We would love to get the spring carnival underway. However, we have not heard from anyone yet on chairing this fun filled event. If we do not find a chairperson or group of people to take on this role, THE CARNIVAL WILL NOT GO ON.

Please consider this in your volunteer efforts. If you are interested or just want more information, please call the PTO hotline, 702-8545 and leave a message and we will get back to you. Please call only if you are interested in CHAIRING the carnival.

### Jump Rope for Heart Schedule

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| Mon.  | Feb. 11 | Gr. 2nd-3 <sup>rd</sup> | 3:00-5:00 |
| Tues. | Feb. 12 | Gr. 4th-5 <sup>th</sup> | 3:00-5:00 |

## Research Fair Reminder

The District-wide SAIL (Students Accelerated in Learning) Research Fair will be held at Eagle Point Elementary School on Thursday, February 28<sup>th</sup> between 6:30 and 8:00 p.m. Elementary SAIL students have been working on the projects since December. 3<sup>rd</sup> graders chose a city, researched facts, and then designed a brochure highlighting the city. 4<sup>th</sup> graders selected a person who has made a contribution to society and then designed a trading card about that person. 5<sup>th</sup> graders researched a topic and then completed projects which include power point presentations, various types of books, posters, board games, and Stump the Expert portrayals. The Eagle Point Elementary School is located at 7850 15th Street N., Oakdale. Hope to see you there!

## PTO Corner

Watch backpacks for our 2nd Butter Braids Fundraiser. This fundraiser will be dedicated to improving audio/video in the classrooms.

\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE\*\*\*

There is a typo on the lavender parent letter that is with the Butter Braids order form. The CORRECT PICKUP DATE is THURSDAY MARCH 13 from 4-7 pm

Thank you for your continued support of Oakdale Elementary School. Working together we can make a difference for our children!

## CLIMB THEATRE COMMUNITY EVENT

Oakdale Police Station  
Thursday, February 21, 2008  
7:00 p.m.

CLIMB Theatre will be working with the 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade students of Oakdale Elementary to explore the topic of Substance Abuse Prevention. Using interactive theatre techniques, the students at Oakdale will learn to define choices they need to make in everyday life and to determine possible options, stress the importance of taking responsibility for the positive and negative consequences resulting from their decisions, and deal with the dangers associated with peer pressure. On the evening of February 21<sup>st</sup> you will have a chance to meet the actors and find out what your children will be learning. See you there!



### Northeast Safety Town

#### Good Secrets - Bad Secrets

- A good secret is a surprise that will make someone happy – a bad secret is one that will make someone angry or sad.
- You do not need to keep a promise about a bad secret.
- You are in charge of your body and no one should touch you in a way that makes you uncomfortable. Tell them NO!

You can tell your parents ANYTHING.

**Visit the school's website at:**  
<http://oakdaleelementaryschool.webaloo.com>